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For: SURGICAL DRAIN WITH POSITIONING AND PROTECTIVE FEATURES

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It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated February 5, 2007, now due to expire May 5, 2007, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on July 5, 2007.

Please charge the extension fee of \$225.00 to Deposit Account No. 501946. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501946.

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